

# The News Scimitar

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**DR. J. E. CANNADAY,**

1500 Park Square,  
Memphis, Tenn.

SEDALIA, MO.  
Could you do a better job than to send this notice to some poor sufferer of Eczema?

## Lieut. Shaw Hopes For His Discharge; Wound Has Healed

Lieut. John T. Shaw will leave for Port Oglethorpe Thursday night, where he hopes to convince the army surgeons that he has recovered from a broken leg and sprained ankle. He says that he is well, but can not get his discharge from the service until the army surgeons take the same view.

Lieut. Shaw was in the Thirtieth and had gone with his company in the absolute front line to the Camp-Pike-Quentin sector. He held for 12 days a trench so far advanced that he had no contact with allied troops on either flank. All supports were his rear. He held this trench until the night before the final big push, when he suffered the injury to his leg and had to be taken to the rear.

Lieut. Shaw says that in his command ever in the front line there were only two men who seemed to have the slightest fear of death. The remainder would exclaim, "Shoot, I've got you feller," when a Hun shell dropped very close. In that position they were under constant shell fire, but of the 15 shells that the Germans dropped into the trench, all were "blanks."

He will return to his old position with the Van Vleet-Mansfield Drug company as soon as he gets his discharge.

## BETTER LOADING FOR RIVER BARGES PLANNED

S. J. Flournoy, assistant to the manager of the Mississippi river section of the government large line system, writing to Commissioner Quinn, said that the government barges would stop at the Memphis municipal wharves from this time on.

"It is our intention from this time on to handle freight from and for Memphis and expect to touch the port of Memphis every week."

The letter also inclosed blue prints of loading devices which he recommended that the Memphis wharves install to facilitate the handling of freights at this port. Commissioner Quinn says the devices will be installed.

## A Never Failing Way to Banish Ugly Hairs

(Aids to Beauty.)  
No woman is immune to superfluous growths, and because these are likely to appear at any time, it is advisable to always have some delicate powder handy to use when the occasion arises. A paste is made with some of the powder and water and spread upon the hairy surface; in about 2 minutes this is carefully removed and the skin washed. You will then find that your skin is entirely free from hair or fuzz. Be sure, however, to get real delectable.

## LINTER MEN TO FORM EXPORT ASSOCIATION

In an effort to develop an export outlet for cotton linters and thereby afford some relief to conditions that promise losses if not relieved, a number of the cotton oil mills of the South started a concrete movement in Memphis Wednesday afternoon to organize an exporting company, which may be operated under the provisions of the Webb-Kenney act.

Representatives of about 200 mills were in attendance at the meeting, including some of the leaders of the industry in the South. Practically every local mill was represented.

The meeting named a committee to take up the matter at once and report at another session of the conference. The preliminary draft of the charter of operations, and it is expected details can be worked out by Feb. 15. There is a strong possibility of Memphis being made headquarters of the concern, as this is the most central location and is the largest single producing center in the belt.

The situation in which the mills find themselves is chiefly because of the armistice in Europe and a stoppage of the manufacture of explosives, one of the chief uses for linters.

## COTTONSEED MEN GO TO WASHINGTON

J. H. DuBose and Albert G. Perkins will leave Friday night for Washington, where the food administration will confer with cottonseed crushers, ginners, planters, oil refiners, distributors and allied interests.

The food administration has had supervision over the cottonseed industry, but this is not expected to last much longer.

The Interstate Cottonseed Crushers' association, whose temporary headquarters are in Washington, will have a prominent part in the conference. It has a future welfare committee, whose duties are to look to the future and plan for putting into practice as far as it can be done under private management some of the valuable lessons learned while operating under official supervision.

## Smartness and Economy.

A smart tailored suit correctly fitted by real high-class tailors, looks better, lasts longer and gives the wearer better satisfaction throughout the year. J. H. Moriarty & Son, Tailors, 21 South Main street.

## EX-GOVERNORS HONORED.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., Feb. 6. (Sp.)—An amendment to the resolution authorizing the appointment of a state memorial commission, was made in the senate so as to include all ex-governors of Tennessee, which would include Gov. Malcolm R. Patterson, left off the first list. Maj. E. B. Stahman, of the Nashville Banner; Col. Luke Lea, of the Tennesseean; Col. Harry Adler, of the Commercial Appeal; and Col. R. M. Burdette, of the Bristol Herald-Courier, were added to the commission.

## City Charter Is Ready For Entire Committee Of 100

Final decision as to the inclusion or exclusion of a referendum clause in the new charter framed by the citizens' committee of 100 will be made by the citizens' committee of 100.

This committee is said to be representative of the majority of the taxpayers of the city of Memphis, and includes big business men, little business men, salaried business executives, editors of newspapers, an editor of a labor paper and 10 representatives of organized labor.

The executive committee of 12, of which R. R. Ellis is chairman, completed the preliminary draft of the charter at a meeting Wednesday night, and copies of it will go to the committee of 100 as soon as it has been printed in pamphlet form.

If after the committee of 100 has surveyed the charter as drafted by us, they see fit in their judgment to attach a referendum clause, they may do so and they will, said Mr. Ellis Thursday.

The inference is being drawn that as drafted by the committee of 12 the charter does not contain a referendum clause. Mr. Ellis announced some time ago—and has reiterated that announcement—that the referendum clause was a matter of detail in connection with the charter which would be left to the judgment of the committee of 100, which would attempt to follow the wishes of the majority of the public in making its decision.

"We do not desire," said Mr. Ellis Thursday, "to take a high hand in anything. It is our aim, pure and simple, to frame a charter which will enable the people to take the municipal government of Memphis out of the hands of professional factional politicians. When I say we want to relieve the city of political control, I use the word in the derogatory sense, casting no aspersions on honest politics, but condemning self-seeking, factional political interests."

## ENGINEERS OPPOSE CITY MANAGER FORM

Memphis locomotive engineers have gone on record as opposed per se to the city manager form of government. A. J. Pichetto, acting chief engineer of local division No. 23, having 178 members in this division, said the following in an official notice sent by the division on Feb. 5:

"The Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, Division No. 23, hereby goes on record by a unanimous vote as protesting against the efforts of a handful of city politicians to abolish our present charter and substitute for it the autocratic city manager system, and by this system eliminate the great body of common people from any part in the city government. The city manager system has been a failure wherever tried, except in very small towns. The world has just been bathed in blood in the name of a city manager, and we have a right to ask our vote for the government under which we must live."

"We hereby request Memphis papers to please print this resolution."

## APPELLATE COURT TO HEAR LIQUOR CASES

United States District Attorney W. D. Kiser has gone to Cincinnati, O., to argue before the federal circuit court of appeals the cases of 10 Memphians recently convicted on charges of selling liquor without paying the special federal taxes and violating the Reed amendment. The cases are set for Monday.

J. O. Hays, railroad conductor, recently convicted on a charge of bringing a carload of whiskey to Memphis and stopping it at the fairgrounds, will have his case reviewed as one of the 10 appeals.

Dick Turner, a roadhouse proprietor, and a helper, Tom Nesbitt, will also have their cases heard by the appeals court.

Other cases to be argued are Louis and Joe Roblin, Reed amendment; John B. Harris and Austin Donahue, Reed amendment; Benny Bryant and Sam James, Reed amendment; and L. C. Matthews, Reed amendment.

## High-Priced Cigars

Are often very expensive and lead to a very "costly" habit. Avoid this smoke Samuelson's Extra. Price, 7c. adv.

## News of Rivers

River Bulletin.			
Memphis, Tenn., Feb. 6, 1919.			
Observations taken at 7 a.m., 75th meridian time.			
	Flood Stage.	Height.	Chg. fail.
Pittsburgh	22	2.0	+0.4
Parkersburg	26	6.8	-0.2
Cincinnati	50	12.9	-0.9
Louisville	28	8.8	-0.1
Evansville	35	14.6	-1.2
Nashville	40	10.3	-0.4
Chattanooga	23	10.9	-0.5
Johnsonville	26	10.2	-0.8
Paducah	43	14.8	-1.4
Davenport	15	2.8	-0.5
Kansas City	22	9.1	-0.2
St. Louis	20	5.6	-0.3
Alton	45	14.1	-1.1
New Madrid	22	17.9	-1.0
MEMPHIS	35	18.4	-0.5
Helena	22	6.6	-0.1
Port Smith	22	6.6	-0.1
Little Rock	23	5.0	0.0
Shreveport	45	18.3	+2.6
New Orleans	18	12.4	-0.4
*Rise.—Fall.			

## River Forecast.

The river in the Memphis district will fall.

## Arrivals.

Kate Adams from Rosedale.  
Harry Lee from Prior Point.  
Eclipse from Ashtabula.  
Liberty from Cairo.

## Departures.

Harry Lee Friday, 8:30 a.m., for Prior Point.  
Eclipse Friday, 9:30 a.m., for Ashtabula.  
Ossining Friday for Osceola at 8:30 a.m.

## U. S. survey boat Search for Helena.

The Memphis-Cairo packet Liberty is scheduled to arrive late Thursday, departing Friday 4 p.m.

The Kate Adams was scheduled to leave Thursday for Rosedale. She brought in a heavy cargo late Wednesday.

The Idlewild will remain in harbor Friday to load for the trip to Seppel Saturday.

# The Limit!

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**\$40 and \$45 Kuppenheimer Overcoats, Now \$29.75**  
**\$50 and \$60 Kuppenheimer Overcoats, Now \$34.75**

SOME reduction when you consider the quality of the merchandise, and the fact that our regular selling prices on these garments were already fully 15 to 20 per cent under what most stores get for coats anything like as good.

This sale offers you the opportunity now of getting the best possible kind of a coat—one that will hold its own for several seasons—at a mighty low price. We can't tell how long these low prices will hold. The sale may last two days, or three—it can't go much longer. Our advice to you is to ACT PROMPTLY.

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First dose of "Pape's Cold Compound" relieves the cold and gripe misery—Don't stay stuffed up!

Relief comes instantly. A dose taken every two hours until three doses are taken will end gripe misery and break up a severe cold either in the head, chest, body or limbs. It promptly opens clogged-up nostrils and air passages in the head, stops watery discharge or nose running, relieves sick headache, dizziness, feverishness, sore throat, sneezing, soreness and stiffness.

Don't stay stuffed up! Quit blowing and snuffing! Ease your throbbing head! Nothing else in the world gives such prompt relief as "Pape's Cold Compound," which costs only a few cents at any drug store. It acts without assistance, tastes nice, causes no inconvenience. Be sure to get the genuine.

## Economy.

Even in cigars is a good thing. Smoke Samuelson's Extra, the fine quality that costs 7c.

## R. R. MAN FATALLY HURT BY DRIVER OF AUTO

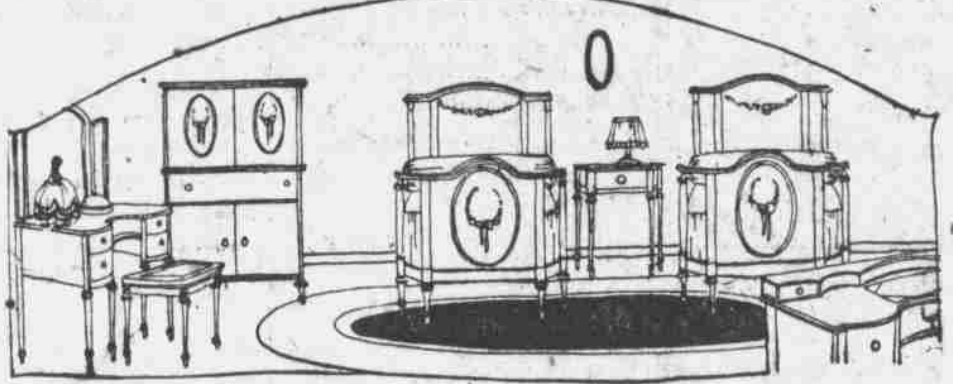
KNOXVILLE, Tenn., Feb. 6. (Sp.)—C. C. Hedges, an elderly city ticket agent of the Southern Railway, here, was run over and fatally injured today by an automobile driven by Houston Karren, a young business man.

## ELECTED TO OFFICES.

SENATORIA, Miss., Feb. 6. (Sp.)—L. B. Powell was elected justice of the peace for the First supervisor's district and Clyde Ash, constable, in the special election held there today for the purpose of filling the vacancies in these offices, caused by the resignation of the former justice of the peace and constable.

## A Few High Spots in Our February Sale of FURNITURE

Offering Savings of 15 to 35 Per Cent



It isn't doing the line justice to pick out a few items here and there for mention in our advertising, for each and every article in the sale is deserving of attention—each has certain characteristics that entitle it to your special consideration—but there are so many of them that we cannot mention them all. We feature the following so you can get some idea of the savings the sale offers:

## Extreme Values in Bedroom Suites

**Neat \$147.50 Suite for \$107.50**  
"Four-Poster" Suite, in genuine mahogany—Dresser, Chiffonette, full-size Bed and Triple Mirror Dressing Table. This is a beautiful little suite, is of high-grade construction and beautifully finished; worth \$147.50, special, \$107.50.

**William & Mary Suite, \$139.50**  
"William and Mary" Suite, in American walnut—Dresser, Chiffonette, full-size Bed and Triple Mirror Dressing Table. This is a handsome suite, correct in every detail. Bed is of the new bow-end style; was \$187.50; now \$139.50.

## Refurnish Your Dining Room, Now

Save From \$50 to \$100.00 on These Suites

**\$275 Set, \$214.50**  
Genuine Mahogany Suite; consists of 60-inch Buffet, large China Cabinet, Serving Table, new style oval top Extension Table, 1 Arm and 5 Side Chairs with genuine leather seats; all pieces perfectly matched; was \$275; special sale, \$214.50.

**\$245 Set, \$142.50**  
Jacobean Suite, in solid oak—Buffet, 60-inch, large China Cabinet, Serving Table, 64-inch round top Extension Table, 1 Arm and 5 Side Chairs to match, with genuine leather seats; Grand Rapids "Lifetime" make; was \$245; now \$142.50.

**\$250 Set, \$198.50**  
"William and Mary" Suite in genuine American Walnut—60-inch Buffet, large China Cabinet, Serving Table, 64-inch round top Extension Table, 1 Arm and 5 Side Chairs to match; well made and finished; regular \$250 suite, now \$198.50.

## Attractive Living Room Sets

**\$125 Set for \$78.50**  
A very artistic and handsome Living Room Suite in the popular "Queen Anne" period design—a thoroughly well-built Suite, correct in every detail of design and finish—66-inch Settee, large Arm Chair and Rocker to match. Mahogany frames, upholstered in beautiful old rose damask; a \$125.00 beauty for \$78.50.

**\$200.00 Set for \$157.50**  
Three-piece Mahogany and Cane Living Room Set—Davenport, Arm Chair and Rocker to match, with soft spring seats, "Sunburst" pillows and bolster roll; a \$200.00 Set, for only \$157.50.

**\$250.00 Set for \$197.50**  
"Queen Anne" Living Room Suite—full-size Davenport, with Arm Chair and Rocker to match; mahogany frames, cane backs, with loose cushions; a beautiful Suite; \$250.00 Set, now \$197.50.

**\$150.00 Set for \$117.50**  
Fiber Reed Set, in ivory finish—full-size Davenport, with Chair and Rocker to match, upholstered in a pretty cretonne. Davenport will make full-size bed—just the thing for morning room and the emergency bed; was \$150.00; now \$117.50.

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## PHYSICIANS BEGIN SCHOOL INSPECTION

Inspection of the public schools of Memphis to ascertain from a professional standpoint their exact sanitary condition, was begun by the legislative and public health committee of the Memphis and Shelby County Medical society at 3 o'clock Thursday afternoon. The schools which were complained of as insanitary by members of

the Federated Parent-Teacher association, will be first visited by the committee of physicians. The examination as thoroughly as it is possible for medical men to make it, Dr. J. L. Jelks, chairman of the committee, said Thursday just before starting on the tour of investigation, and conditions as found will be reported, he further said, in a manner unbiased by any political sentiment or personal interest. "We will not make a superficial investigation nor will we make a superficial report," said Dr. Jelks. "We desire to be fair to all and we desire to be exact. We will get all the information possible to get before we say anything. What we finally say will be unbiased and said for the community welfare. We have no political interest—physicians are apart from all that; we are merely undertaking investigation from altruistic sentiments. We have no other purpose."

Dr. A. G. Jacobs and Dr. William Britt Burns are on the committee with Dr. Jelks.

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